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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SECURE COMMUNICATIONS AND RESOURCE
Invention: SHARING BETWEEN ANONYMOUS NON-TRUSTING PARTIES WITH NO CENTRAL
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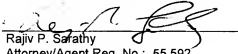
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.